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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 8, 2005**

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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>FY 2005</b> <i>(Fee pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)</i>		Docket Number (Optional) ROC920010291US1	
Application Number 10/067,785		Filed February 5, 2002	
For Clock Generation for Multiple Secondary Buses of a PCI Bridge			
Art Unit 2115		Examiner Amin, Nirav S.	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.138(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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